## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1-19. (Canceled)

- 20. (New) A method for configuring a preamble of a packet in a transmitter of a wireless local area network system, the preamble including a first preamble, the method comprising: generating a plurality of first symbols by repeating the first symbol 16 times; and generating a second symbol which is 180°-phased with respect to the first symbol, wherein the first preamble includes the plurality of first symbols and the second symbol subsequent to the plurality of first symbols.
- 21. (New) The method of claim 20, wherein the first symbol is generated using a sequence composed of +1 and -1
- 22. (New) The method of claim 20, wherein the preamble further includes a second preamble subsequent to the first preamble, and

the second preamble is used for channel estimation.

- 23. (New) The method of claim 22, wherein the second preamble includes a third symbol, a fourth symbol, and a fifth symbol, and
  - a length of the third symbol is equal to a length of the fourth symbol.

- 24. (New) The method of claim 23, wherein a length of fifth symbol is shorter than the length of third symbol.
- 25. (New) The method of claim 23, wherein the third symbol, the fourth symbol, and the fifth symbol are generated using a sequence composed of +1 and -1
- 26. (New) The method of claim 22, wherein the preamble is used for frequency offset estimation.
  - 27. (New) The method of claim 22, wherein the preamble is used for synchronization.
- 28. (New) A method for receiving a preamble of a packet in a receiver of a wireless local area network system, the preamble including a first preamble, the method comprising:

receiving the preamble; and

using the preamble for synchronization,

wherein the first preamble includes a plurality of first symbols and a second symbol subsequent to the plurality of first symbols,

the first symbol is repeated 16 times in the plurality of first symbols, and the second symbol is 180°-phased with respect to the first symbol

- 29. (New) The method of claim 28, wherein the first symbol is generated using a sequence composed of +1 and -1
  - 30. (New) The method of claim 28, wherein the preamble further includes a second

preamble subsequent to the first preamble, and

the second preamble is used for channel estimation.

31. (New) The method of claim 30, wherein the second preamble includes a third symbol, a fourth symbol, and a fifth symbol, and

a length of the third symbol is equal to a length of the fourth symbol.

- 32. (New) The method of claim 31, wherein a length of fifth symbol is shorter than the length of third symbol.
- 33. (New) The method of claim 32, wherein the third symbol, the fourth symbol, and the fifth symbol are generated using a sequence composed of +1 and -1
- 34. (New) The method of claim 30, wherein the preamble is used for frequency offset estimation.
- 35. (New) A method for receiving a preamble of a packet in a receiver of a wireless local area network system, the preamble including a first preamble, the method comprising:

receiving the packet; and

detecting the preamble from the packet,

wherein the first preamble includes a plurality of first symbols and a second symbol subsequent to the plurality of first symbols,

the first symbol is repeated 16 times in the plurality of first symbols, and the second symbol is  $180^{\circ}$ -phased with respect to the first symbol

- 36. (New) The method of claim 35, wherein the first symbol is generated using a sequence composed of +1 and -1
- 37. (New) The method of claim 35, wherein the preamble further includes a second preamble subsequent to the first preamble, and

the second preamble is used for channel estimation.

- 38. (New) The method of claim 35, wherein the second preamble includes a third symbol, a fourth symbol, and a fifth symbol, and
  - a length of the third symbol is equal to a length of the fourth symbol.
- 39. (New) The method of claim 38, wherein a length of fifth symbol is shorter than the length of third symbol.
- 40. (New) A transmitter of a wireless local area network system for configuring a preamble of a packet, the preamble including a short preamble, the transmitter comprising:

means for generating a plurality of first symbols by repeating the first symbol 16 times; and

means for generating a second symbol which is 180°-phased with respect to the first symbol,

wherein the short preamble includes the plurality of first symbols and the second symbol subsequent to the plurality of first symbols. 41. (New) A receiver of a wireless local area network system for receiving a preamble of a packet, the preamble including a short preamble, the receiver comprising:

means for receiving the preamble; and

means for using the preamble for synchronization,

wherein the short preamble includes a plurality of first symbols and a second symbol subsequent to the plurality of first symbols,

the first symbol is repeated 16 times in the plurality of first symbols, and the second symbol is  $180^{\circ}$ -phased with respect to the first symbol.